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# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In order to fulfill the requirements of candor and good faith set forth in 37 C.F.R.

§1.56, Applicants submit herewith the following Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97 and §1.98.

# UNITED STATES PATENT PUBLICATIONS

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NON-PATENT PUBLICATIONS

1. Penco, et al. "New poly(ester-carbonate) multi-block copolymers based on poly(lactic-glycolic acid) and poly( $\epsilon$ -caprolactone) segments," *Macromol. Chem.* 

Phys, vol. 199, pp. 1737-1745 (1998).

The above-referenced documents are listed on Form PTO 1449. We have enclosed

the cited documents to facilitate reference to them.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to consider the publications in their entirety,

and to indicate that he or she has done so by initialing the enclosed form PTO 1449. Since

this Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before issuance of the first Office

Action, Applicants believe that no fee is due.

Applicants are not aware of any other references to be identified at this time. If the

Examiner has any questions or comments relating to the present application, he or she is

respectfully invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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